By: Lucio S.B. No. 2199

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

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- 2 relating to the powers and duties of a county or municipality to
- 3 impose taxes on behalf of a navigation district.
- 4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
- 5 SECTION 1. Section 62.160, Water Code, is amended to read as 6 follows:
- 7 Sec. 62.160. MAINTENANCE TAX. (a) The commissioners
- 8 courts of the respective counties inside each district may, and on
- 9 request by the district, shall, levy and have assessed and
- 10 collected for the maintenance, operation, and upkeep of the
- 11 district and the improvements constructed by the district an annual
- 12 tax not to exceed 10 cents on the \$100 valuation on all property
- 13 inside the district.
- 14 (b) The governing bodies of the respective municipalities
- 15 inside each district may, and on request of the district, shall,
- 16 levy and have assessed and collected for the maintenance,
- 17 operation, and upkeep of the district and the improvements
- 18 constructed by the district an annual tax not to exceed 10 cents on
- 19 the \$100 valuation on all property inside the district.
- 20 <u>(c) The district on behalf of which a tax is collected under</u>
- 21 Subsections (a) and (b) shall pay the costs of levying, assessing,
- 22 and collecting the tax.
- 23 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
- 24 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as

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- 1 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this
- 2 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
- 3 Act takes effect September 1, 2017.